

Forest Practices Application/Notification
Addendum
10/31/03

1) If any of the following apply, this FPA/N is subject to Enhanced Aquatic Resource Requirement (EARR) and may be eligible for a forest excise tax credit (Department of Revenue calls it the Salmon Credit). Please check all that apply.

- A. In this FPA/N, the operator is limited by Forest Practices rule in any of these areas:
- ☐ Riparian area(s); or
 - ☐ Wetland(s); or
 - ☐ Steep or unstable slope(s)
- B. In this FPA/N, the landowner is following the prescriptions in a federally approved Habitat Conservation Plan (HCP) that limits timber harvest due to:
- ☐ Riparian area(s); or
 - ☐ Wetland(s); or
 - ☐ Steep or unstable slope(s)

NOTE: The HCP does not need to be more restrictive than the FP rules – it just needs to limit harvest.

- C. In this FPA/N, the landowner has a DNR approved Watershed Analysis where the prescriptions limit harvest in:
- ☐ Riparian area(s) ; or
 - ☐ Wetland(s); or
 - ☐ Steep or unstable slope(s)

NOTE: The prescription does not need to be more restrictive than the FP rules – it just needs to limit harvest.

- D. Is any part of the haul route for this FPA/N in a Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan (RMAP) approved by DNR?
- ☐ Yes - RMAP # _____
 - ☐ No

2) Does the landowner currently have an approved Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan (RMAP) and intends to continue to follow its schedule?

- ☐ Yes. RMAP Number _____.
- ☐ No. Go to Question 3.

3) Are there any existing forest roads on forest land owned by the landowner?

- ☐ Yes – **Complete Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan Section**
- ☐ No – A Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan is not required

Forest Practices Application/Notification Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan (RMAP) Section WAC 222-24

As of October 31, 2003, emergency forest practices rules regarding Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plans became effective. As a result of these rules, harvest levels are now used to define large and small forest landowners. Large forest landowners have the same RMAP requirements as before. However, small forest landowners have varying requirements depending on the amount of timber they harvest and/or the amount of forest land they own.

- 1) In the past three years, has the landowner harvested on average **MORE THAN** 2 million board feet of timber **PER YEAR** from their own land within the state of Washington **AND** does the landowner expect, on average, to continue to harvest **MORE THAN** 2 million board feet per year of timber from their own land within the state of Washington over the next ten years from the filing date of this forest practices application?
☐ Yes - Landowner may be a small forest landowner. Go to Question 2.
☐ No – Landowner is a small forest landowner. Go to Question 3 to see if a Checklist RMAP is required.
- 2) Does the landowner claim the 2 million board feet annual harvest level was or will be exceeded in order to raise funds to pay estate taxes or for any equally compelling and unexpected obligations, such as court-ordered judgments or extraordinary medical expenses?
☐ Yes. Landowner is a small forest landowner. Go to Question 3 to see if a Checklist RMAP is required.
☐ No. – Landowner is not a small forest landowner and must complete a Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan. Consult the Region RMAP Specialist for forms and process.
- 3) Does the landowner own a total of eighty acres or less of forest land in Washington State **AND** is this forest practice located on contiguous ownership 20 acres or less in size?
☐ Yes. Landowner is not required to submit a Checklist RMAP or a Road Maintenance and Abandonment Plan, but needs to refer to the DNR's Checklist RMAP Brochure (available on the internet or DNR Region office).
☐ No. Landowner is required to submit a Checklist RMAP and map **or** an RMAP Small Landowner Form for all of their forest roads they use for their forest practice activities shown in this FPA/N, as described in following **“NOTE”**

NOTE: Small forest landowners have the following choices:

- A. Keep their approved RMAP Small Forest Landowner Form and follow its schedule.
- B. Revise the approved RMAP Small Forest Landowner Form schedule to take into account cost-share projects. Small forest landowners that enroll in the cost-share program may replace eligible fish passage barriers as funding becomes available.
- C. Cancel the approved RMAP Small Forest Landowner Form for all of their forest land and complete a Checklist RMAP with their timber harvest or timber salvage FPA/N for their haul roads.
- D. Revise the approved RMAP Small Forest Landowner Form to keep some roads in the approved RMAP and just the haul roads for the FPA/N in the Checklist RMAP.
- E. If option C or D is chosen, the road work on the haul route must be completed prior to the expiration of the FPA/N **unless** the landowner enrolls in the cost-share program. Those that enroll in the cost share program may replace eligible fish passage barriers as funding becomes available.
- F. Complete a new RMAP Small Forest Landowner Form and do not submit a Checklist RMAP. If this option is chosen, the scheduled RMAP must be submitted with the FPA/N.

For Small Forest Landowner RMAP planning and implementation purposes only: Forest road: means a “road or road segment that crosses forest land owned by the small forest landowner, but excludes portions of access roads to residential home sites not used as a part of a current forest practice involving harvest or salvage of trees.” If an access road to a residential home site is used as part of a current forest practice involving harvest or salvage of trees, it must be contained in a Checklist RMAP or a scheduled RMAP.